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RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 13, 2007 OFFICE ACTION AND NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT OF MARCH 12, 2008

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed September 13, 2007 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of March 12, 2008. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of this amendment and remarks herein. The original period of response to the Office Action is a shortened statutory period of three (3) months.

Applicant previously petitioned the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated September 13, 2007 by 2 month(s) for a fee of \$460.00 so that the period for response is extended to February 13, 2008 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The Notice of Non-Complaint has a response date of April 12, 2008.